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SUBJECT: ECOSOC - ILLICIT PAYMENTS

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1. CHARGE JULY 2 DELIVERED RESPONSE TO GHOZALI LETTER TO MOHAMED ABERKANE, CHIEF OF NORTH AMERICAN AND WESTERN EUROPEAN AFFAIRS DIVISION OF FOREIGN MINISTRY. ABERKANE STATED THAT HE WOULD ENSURE THAT LETTER PASSED DIRECTLY TO GHOZALI.

2. ABERKANE OBSERVED THAT FOREIGN MINISTRY MIFFED AT DIRECT GHOZALI CONTACT WITH SECRETARY RICHARDSON. HE LAMENTED THAT DIRECT CONTACTS SUCH AS THESE DO EXIST, BUT SAID SINCE ROBINSON LETTER CLEARLY PUTS RESPONSIBILITY FOR FOLLOW-UP IN DIPLOMATIC CHANNELS, FOREIGN MINISTRY WILL CARRY BALL FROM HERE ON IN.

3. CHARGE TOOK OCCASION TO PRESS VIGOROUSLY FOR
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ALGERIAN CO-SPONSORSHIP AND SUPPORT FOR AMERICAN

RESOLUTION ON ILLICIT PAYMENTS AT ECOSOC. HE
POINTED OUT THAT THIS WAS PROBLEM ABOUT WHICH
ALGERIA AND US WERE BOTH DEEPLY CONCERNED AND
THAT IT PROVIDED WELCOME -- AND RARE -- OPPORTUNITY
FOR ALGERIA AND US TO COOPERATE IN INTERNATIONAL
FORUM. ABERKANE AGREED, NOTED THAT ALGERIA MIGHT
WANT STRONGER LANGUAGE THAN CONTAINED IN US TEXT,
BUT PROMISED TO PUSH THEME OF US-
ALGERIAN COOPERATION. LYNE

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